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of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC  
and Bernard L. Madoff*

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION  
CORPORATION,

Plaintiff,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT  
SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (BRL)

SIPA Liquidation

(Substantively Consolidated)

**NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF TRUSTEE'S APPLICATION TO  
RETAIN NCTM STUDIO LEGALE ASSOCIATO AS SPECIAL COUNSEL**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, that Irving H. Picard (the "Trustee"), as trustee for the substantively consolidated liquidation of the business of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC ("BLMIS") under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78aaa *et seq.* ("SIPA") and the estate of Bernard L. Madoff ("Madoff"), by and through his undersigned counsel, hereby withdraws his application to retain NCTM Studio Legale Associato ("NCTM"),

as special counsel, as of February 28, 2013 (the “Application”), (ECF No. 5245).

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By: /s/Marc E. Hirschfield  
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